

THE NEWARK ADVOCATE

Merry Christmas

WEATHER FORECAST.
Snow flurries tonight and Friday;
Cold wave coming.

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NEWARK, OHIO, THURSDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 24, 1914.

TEN CENTS A WEEK

NO FIXED LEVY FOR STATE TAX

But One Made Each Year,
Is Donahey's Recom-
mendation

WILL SPONSOR SUCH A
MEASURE IN AS-
SEMBLY.

ARGUES IN ITS FAVOR

Levies Would Be Made An-
nually, Based Upon Spe-
cific Needs for State
Funds, and He Believes
No Extra Session of Leg-
islature Will Be Neces-
sary.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM)
Columbus, Dec. 24.—State Auditor A. V. Donahey today announced a recom-
mendation he will make to the next
legislature for abolishing the fixed
state tax levy and making new levies
each year based on specific needs for
state funds, sinking, university and
school—and the grand tax duplicate.
He urges that the legislature every
two years ascertain precisely what
will be required for these three funds
and make a definite appropriation for
them. Then the auditor and state tax
commission could be authorized to fix
annually a levy rate, which would
raise on the state tax duplicate, the
exact amount appropriated by the
legislature.

Under the present conditions the
legislature fixes a state levy rate
which stands from year to year with-
out regard to possible increase or
shrinkage of the tax duplicate. Conse-
quently, a surplus or a shortage may
develop from this levy. The first
special session of the legislature last
spring was called to reduce the state
levy. Mr. Donahey says:
"Adopt this plan and no special
session of the legislature will ever be
necessary to raise or lower the state
tax rate."

The auditor also recommends the
abolition of the school tax as now ad-
ministered, by which \$2 is raised for
each school youth by a state levy and
paid back to counties. He suggests
the continuance of the system of aid-
ing weak school districts, but asks
that the legislature make definite ap-
propriations for this purpose. "All
common school taxes should be as-
sessed locally," he says.

"We believe that levies should never
be greater than actual requirements
to meet the expenses of government
economically administered," says Mr.
Donahey. "Large accumulations of
funds in public treasuries tend to ex-
travagance and corruption. The plan
outlined would safeguard the people
of the unnecessary taxation and the
temptation of a plethora treasury."

AEROPLANE DROPS BOMB INTO DOVER

London, Dec. 24.—A hostile aero-
plane dropped a bomb over Dover
this morning and then disappeared
according to a statement made this
afternoon by the official press bu-
reau.

The text of the statement follows:
"An aeroplane of the enemy dropped
a bomb while passing over
Dover this morning. The missile fell
in a garden and exploded but no
damage was done. The aeroplane
was seen for a few seconds only. It
left immediately, passing out over
the sea. A British aircraft went up
but did not see the enemy again.
The weather was cloudy and foggy."

Trapped In a Tenement, All But One of a Family of Five Met Their Death by Suffocation

(ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM)
New York, Dec. 24.—Five members
of a family occupying an apartment
on the top floor of a five-story tenement
house at 216 West Forty-ninth
street, were trapped in a fire early to-
day that started in the basement and
spread rapidly up the elevator shafts.
Four members of the family were suf-
focated before aid could reach them;
the fifth dying soon after being taken
to a hospital.
The dead are: Mrs. Mary Corso, 45
years old; her three sons, Charles, 21,
Frank, 19, and Harry, 7, and her
niece, Grace Anadale, 8 years old.



The Infant Prince of Peace, And Disloyal Subjects.

TROOPS

WILL BE GRADUALLY WITH-
DRAWN FROM THE COLORADO
STRIKE ZONE

Where They Were Sent Early Last
May to Preserve Order in
Mining Camps.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM)
Washington, Dec. 24.—Details of
the plan for the gradual withdrawal
of federal troops from the Colorado
strike zone, in accordance with the
agreement reached at a conference
between Secretary Garrison and Gov-
ernor Ammons of Colorado, were be-
ing worked out today at the war de-
partment.

The plan was agreed upon follow-
ing a conference Governor Ammons,
Governor-elect Carlson and Senator
Shafroth had with the president yester-
day when it was decided to begin
taking away the troops within the
next ten days.

Secretary Garrison will submit the
details of the plan to the president
before the order for the withdrawal
of the troops has been given.

In the meantime Governor Am-
mons was on his way home today.
As soon as he reaches home, he told
the president, he was willing that
the first troops be withdrawn.

The federal troops were sent to
maintain order in Colorado when
disorders due to the strike of coal
miners occurred. President Wilson
last April ordered troops of the 12th
cavalry to proceed to the strike dis-
trict. Early in May the entire 11th
cavalry and additional troops from
the 12th, were ordered to the mining
camps where they have since remain-
ed.

The only surviving member of the
family, Arthur Corso, a telephone op-
erator at the Polytechnic hospital, was
on duty when the fire started and or-
dered out ambulances and surgeons to
the scene. He did not learn of the
deaths of his relatives until his
mother was brought into the hospital
where she died.
Scores of other tenants in the build-
ing suffered from inhaling smoke and
minor injuries in escaping from the
building. Patrolmen and firemen re-
formed many thrilling rescues from
windows on the fourth and fifth
floors. The loss on the building was
small, amounting to about \$5,000.

Gov. Cox Pardons Senator Cetone And Would Place Lobbyists In His Place, If He Possessed Power

(ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM)
Columbus, Dec. 24.—Gov. Cox
this afternoon gave a Christmas gift
of an unconditional pardon to for-
mer State Senator George K. Cetone,
of Dayton who has served all but
four months of a three year sentence
in the penitentiary on a charge of
accepting a bribe in connection with
the notorious legislative scandal case
nearly three years ago.

Cetone is now a patient in the
prison hospital and is in poor health.
He expects to leave the prison today
and will go soon to Hot Springs,
Ark., with his wife and little son, in
an effort to find health there.

Governor Cox gave out a state-
ment saying lobbyists were the real
culprits in the legislative scandal
cases. He said indications are that
no evidence against Cetone was se-

cured except that in connection with
the bribery entrapment by detectives
hired to inveigle legislators into ac-
cepting bribes.

Governor Cox's statement follows:
"In granting this pardon we are
moved by these considerations:

"Attorney General T. S. Hogan,
who prosecuted all of the legislative
bribery cases, makes the unqualified
statement that in the extended grand
jury investigations there was not a
scrap of evidence against Mr. Cetone
except that which grew out of the
entrapment proceedings. The man
had led, previously a blameless life.
He is now in poor health. In fact
he required the use of a crutch or
cane when he entered the prison. He
has been a perfect prisoner, and
while he has protested his innocence
from the outset, he has manifested

no bitterness that gave the least an-
noyance to the warden. His wife
and boy ask for him now, that he
may be taken to Hot Springs, Ark.,
in the hope that his health may be
restored. His term would legally
expire four months from the first of
the year.

"We are not allowed, either by law
or precedent, to speak of things that
take place in the grand jury room, but
it is almost common knowledge that
while no evidence was gathered
against Mr. Cetone except that joining
the entrapment, in practically every
case that was submitted for investi-
gation, the trial at once revealed the
tracks of the lobbyist. The lobbyist is
the real culprit, but so cleverly was
his work concealed that conviction
would have been impossible. He
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Forger Works Merchants for Large Amounts

(ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM)
Chicago, Dec. 24.—A swindler,
known to the police as the "Christ-
mas Forger," who during the shop-
ping season last Christmas is said
to have obtained \$21,000 in Boston,
New York and Philadelphia, has
hoisted Chicago merchants out of
hundreds of dollars within the last
week, it was learned today.

"A. Travers," contractor and
builder, of Montreal, Canada, as the
forger introduced himself, carried
offers of credit for sums varying
from \$1,000 to \$10,000. He sought
he leading jewelry establishments in
the city for his operations, and is
known to have victimized four con-
sumers out of \$4,000. Others report
they had cashed worthless drafts
and checks for sums ranging from
\$100 to \$500.

"Travers," according to private
detectives, carries on his swindling
operations only during the Christmas
shopping season, and selects a new
gold every year.

FREE ADVOCATES FOR THE NEWSIES

The newsboys will be given Ad-
vocates free of charge this after-
noon. Everybody who buys an
Advocate from a newsboy today
will help to make the little fel-
low's Christmas a merry one.

Expedition to Watch Eclipse Was a Fiasco

(Correspondence Associated Press.)
Berlin, Dec. 24.—The astronomical
expedition of Berlin, Hamburg,
Munich and Potsdam have just issued
a statement regarding the fiasco of
the four German expeditions, that
went to the south of Russia to observe
the total eclipse of the sun on Aug.
28, 29.

Although the expeditions were an-
nounced with the assistance of the
St. Petersburg Academy of Sciences,
the astronomers and their technical
helpers were arrested and kept in pris-
ons for some time in Odessa. The other
expeditions were finally allowed to re-
turn to Germany, but the four Ger-
man expeditions, as Odessa (U.S.S.R.)
November 10, when they were sent a
poisonous telegram.

Their astronomical instruments
were still worse fate.

Strange Effect European War On Fisheries

(ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM)
St. Johns, N. F., Dec. 24.—A
strange effect of the war is its bear-
ing on the future of the fish trade
of New Foundland and maritime
Canada. The war has revived the
alliance between Great Britain and
Portugal, and a result has been that
a discrimination made by Portugal
for many years against fish from
New Foundland and the Canadian
maritime provinces has been removed.
The products of this region are
now admitted to Portuguese markets
on an equality with those of all
other countries.

Until hostilities began the chief
beneficiary of the conditions then
existing was Norway, which because
of general trade with Portugal en-
joyed an advantage in the matter of
duties charged on dry fish entering
Portuguese harbors equivalent to
from 25 to 35 cents per quintal of
112 pounds, according to the first
alliance between the two nations.
This gave the Norwegian sufficient ad-
vantage to permit them to undersell
the New Foundland and Canadian
product. Representations had been
made several times by the govern-
ments of New Foundland and Can-
ada in an effort to obtain the re-
moval of this handicap but without
avail until after the war began,
when the desired alterations were
made.

SUSPENSION

OF ALL GOVERNMENT BUSINESS
WILL CHARACTERIZE WASH-
INGTON'S CHRISTMAS

For First Time in Years a Large Tree
Will Be In the White
House.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM)
Washington, Dec. 24.—Govern-
ment business practically was sus-
pended today and the national cap-
ital was ready for its Christmas cel-
ebration. Congress was taking a re-
cess, at the White House only neces-
sary business was being transacted,
in the executive department work
had been postponed and the Supreme
Court had adjourned for the holi-
days.

At the White House the president
was taking advantage of the last five
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Congressman Ashbrook Takes Steps to Have the Quarantine Lifted from Licking County

(Special to Advocate.)
Johnstown, Ohio, Dec. 24.—Realizing the fact that the stock quar-
antine is costing the farmers of Licking county many dollars daily, Con-
gressman William A. Ashbrook, who was called home by the death of
his partner's wife, Mrs. Fred Neely, today expressed the hope that the
quarantine would soon be lifted. He is quite hopeful of success and
is working to that end with his best energy.

On Tuesday Congressman Ashbrook sent this telegram to Senator
Atlee Pomerene at Washington:

"Licking County is the second largest county in State. Two suspect-
ed cases of foot and mouth disease reported in southern part of county
over a month ago. Great injustice to western portion of county to be
under quarantine. Delaware and Franklin counties are not quarantined.
Farmers living four miles distant in these counties get one cent per
pound more for hogs and cattle. The people petition me to have you
remove quarantine from western half of county."
"William A. Ashbrook."

The following reply was received:
"Your telegram requesting removal quarantine western half Lick-
ing County received. Have seen Bureau Animal Industry. They say they
are awaiting more definite information from Inspector in Ohio. They
suggest you take this up directly with Fischer, State Veterinarian and
Veterinary representing Federal Bureau who is now in Ohio. You can
get in touch with him at office of State Agricultural Board at Colum-
bus. Action here will depend largely upon their recommendation."
Atlee Pomerene.

Congressman Ashbrook immediately followed the suggestion of Sen-
ator Pomerene and sent the following telegram to the State Veterinarian,
Columbus.
"Licking county is second largest county in area in state. The quar-
antine is a great injustice to western half of this county. Farmers who
live five miles distant in Delaware and Franklin counties receiving one
dollar more per hundred for live stock than in this county. No cases re-
ported for past month and those twenty-five miles distant. I wired
Senator Pomerene yesterday who conferred with Bureau of Animal In-
dustry and they are awaiting recommendation from federal representa-
tive. I earnestly urge that quarantine be immediately lifted from west-
ern half of county, and believe could be safely removed from entire
county. Please give prompt attention and advise."
"William A. Ashbrook, M. C."

A Kidney Remedy Advertisement Brought Great Happiness

I take pleasure in stating that I have used Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, that I was greatly benefited by the same and have used it in my family. I had a son, when quite young he suffered from bladder or kidney affliction. I called in my physician, he attended him but did him no good. Almost by accident I noticed an advertisement about the curative properties of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. I procured a bottle and gave it to him according to directions. It cured him of what we thought was almost impossible and the same with others of my family. I have such strong faith in Swamp-Root that I have never done without it in my family since the wonderful cure of my son as well as myself. I recommend it to all who suffer from kidney or bladder troubles and I am led to believe that it is one of the best medicines for the purpose for which it is used, that has ever been discovered.

This is my experience from the use of Swamp-Root. Wishing the promoters of this wonderful medicine a large sale to the suffering public. I am, Yours respectfully,
W. H. McAFEE,
63 Broyles St. Atlanta, Ga.
Witness,
E. O. WILLIAMS, Notary Public.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You

Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention the Newark Daily Advocate. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.

THE SAFEST

SECURITIES TO BE OBTAINED ARE FIRST MORTGAGES ON HOMES AND FARMS.

1. Such are the securities.
2. Of The Buckeye State Building and Loan Company.
3. Ranking Building, 22 West Gay Street, Columbus, Ohio.
4. Whose assets are \$5,000,000.
5. And which loans all money only on homes and farms.
6. And pays five per cent on time deposits. Write or call for booklets.

Rev. Lawrence H. Lindsey, Findlay minister, is dead of paralysis at the age of 63 years.

Edward Jones, Republican state chairman, is ill of overwork during the fall campaign.

Uncle Sam

Wrote us a few days ago asking for STENOGRAPHERS Salaries from \$800 to \$1,200 to start. Why not prepare for a position of this kind? MID-WINTER TERM BEGINS JAN. 4—Day and night. NEWARK BUSINESS COLLEGE.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold wrapper. Do not take any other. Buy only the Diamond Brand. CHICHESTER'S PILLS FOR WOMEN. Sold by Druggists Everywhere.

STEPHAN

BOSTONIANS Famous Shoes for Men. 17 South Side Square

JOSEPH RENZ

NOTARY PUBLIC, REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE. Office No. 7 1/2 West Side Square. Over Sample Shoe Store. Deeds and Mortgages written. All business entrusted to me will be promptly and carefully attended to.

Gold Filled Glasses or Spectacles Perfectly Fitted to Your Eyes for Saturday

SPECIAL \$1.00

We guarantee these glasses to give you as much satisfaction as though a far price was paid.

ERMAN'S OUT RATE DRUG STORE

The Arcade. Dr. D. S. Raikin, graduate optician in attendance.

COMPLIMENTS CITY ON HER CHARITY WORK

EFFORTS MADE TO ALLEVIATE SUFFERING AND BRING GOOD CHEER NOTICED

And Appreciated in Far Off Arctic Circle in an Accredited Interview With Santa Claus.

(By Staff Correspondent.) North Pole, Dec. 24.—(By Wireless)—"I'll be a busy man this year, in spite of the fact that much of my work has been taken from my shoulders by the various kind-hearted people in the south," said Santa Claus to the Advocate staff man who interviewed him at his headquarters here as he was loading his sleigh for the annual trip over the world. "I was working with feverish haste that I might not get a late start in the thing which is the newsmen's over his shoulder as he stowed away packages in the unlimited depths of his carryall."

"You see, my trip through Europe has been curtailed because of the war. There are few places safe for my reindeer," said the good, old saint. "I wouldn't dare leave my team to visit a house, have a German shell burst near them and cause them to run away."

"It was gratifying to me that the good Americans took the responsibility from my shoulders and loaded ships with food, clothing and toys for the poor women and children whose husbands and fathers are on the firing line."

"Then, too, much of my work has been taken up by organizations, local in nature, like those in your own town. I would have too much to do if it were not for the kindness and efficiency of such organizations as the Salvation Army, the Juvenile Aid Society, the Elks, and individual work like that done by Truant Officer Handel."

"They have the true Christmas spirit and do the work as well as I do. I sometimes think that they do a better work, for I am fond of giving things more ornamental and entertaining than actually useful. Their giving is usually of a more substantial nature and really does more good."

"I should like to reach Newark in time to take part in the municipal Christmas tree ceremonies tonight, but I won't finish my preparation in time. The youngsters may be sure that I am thinking of them every moment while the program is being rendered. I am heartily in sympathy with the community tree idea. It brings to the lives of some of the little ones brightness at Christmas time, which is woefully lacking in so many cases, try as hard as I might to prevent it."

"It has made my heart swell with gladness to see the kindness and generosity of the Newark people this year, in spite of the fact that money has not been over-abundant."

"I cannot miss this opportunity to speak a good word for the work being done by Adjutant Watkins and his good wife. Of course their work is done at all seasons of the year, but they are more active than ever this month, and they try so hard to do a great work on limited resources. No opportunity should be missed to help them in their work. They need so much in the way of funds and food for their Christmas dinner baskets."

"I shall leave here promptly at a night's light, and will have to drive my reindeer team like a flash to reach all the little folks. I trust they will all be happy when they find the little things I have left for them. I try not to forget anyone, but in my haste I do sometimes pass up someone that I should not overlook."

"Now you'll have to excuse me. I have many things to do before I start on my trip and I haven't learned to talk and work at the same time and do both properly. Give my kindest regards to the Newark children, and tell them that I shall be here soon after midnight tonight."

It has been told in dispatches which have been printed in other papers, said the newsmen, that you had abandoned your sleigh and reindeer for the more up-to-the-minute automobile vehicle, which I judge must have been true, from what I see.

"Well, the statement that I had intended doing so was correct, but the announcement that such was the case was premature. I heard of the proposed rejuvenation of the Blair Truck company, and having seen these machines I determined to early send several of those to be placed in charge of my experienced chauffeurs after being loaded with toys to accompany me. I found, however, that the proposition would not be fully taken up until after the holidays, so I retained my deer team and sleigh. The order has been sent to my friend, Charles Smith, the sales manager, for next year, and the Advocate may say that I have no doubt that by that time the Blair truck can be furnished me in any number I desire. Goodbye."

Marriage Licenses.

C. George McDonald, stove-mount, and Miss Mabel L. Hanforth, Box J. H. Fry to officiate.
Thomas L. Johnson, school teacher, of Johnston, and Miss Mae V. Myers, also of Johnston.
Calvin R. Adams, farmer, of Cranston, and Miss Thelma Mae Cook of Johnston. Rev. L. G. Mann to officiate.
Harold L. Rhoads, farmer, and Miss Paye A. Edwards, McKean township. Rev. L. C. Sparks to officiate.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box.

Bowling

The Uppers and Bottoms of the Smith Shoe Co. had another match game of ten pins on the Pastime alleys last night and the Bottoms are still on top winning all three games. Rich had high score and H. Koblenz high average.

Uppers.			
Doane	.....	135	137
W. Koblenz	.....	77	96
Proffer	.....	144	123
Sullivan	.....	86	114
Smith	.....	133	120
		440	585

Bottoms.			
H. Koblenz	.....	171	141
Lyons	.....	130	115
Rice	.....	190	210
McGill	.....	118	119
C. Koblenz	.....	140	133
		539	617

The Sand Pounders won two out of three games from the Sand Sifters last night on the Pastime alleys. Schenk of the Sand Pounders had high score and high average. The Sifters sifted two many pins in the last two games while the Pounders smashed them up.

Sand Sifters.			
Davis	.....	198	179
Sex	.....	167	158
Frizzell	.....	156	140
Lusk	.....	157	171
Parker	.....	124	159
		812	810

Sand Pounders.			
Schenk	.....	215	192
Harlow	.....	118	124
Stoll	.....	150	193
Korb	.....	162	182
Lewis	.....	117	212
		792	903

EX-WARDEN THOMAS DIES IN ALABAMA

Columbus, O., Dec. 24.—Noah Thomas, warden of the Ohio penitentiary from 1880 to 1884, is dead at Birmingham, Ala. Mr. Thomas formerly resided in London, O., and was prominent in politics for thirty-five years. He was a Republican. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Alice T. Brown, at whose home he died, and Mrs. George Thompson of Cincinnati; also two sons, Noah Thomas, Jr., and John R. Thomas of Birmingham. Burial will be made at his old home at London.

25 Years Ago

(From Advocate, Dec. 24, 1889.) Judge Reese today issued a license of marriage to Mr. John Timms and Miss Anna Hordman.

Mr. C. A. Lark, superintendent of the Newark Street railway, presented each of the employees of the road with a fine Christmas turkey.

Mr. Henry Sachs and wife went to St. Louisville today to eat turkey with Mr. Jackson Belt.

Mrs. F. G. Warden went to Hamilton today to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Israel Williams.

Fifty Years Ago Today.

Dec. 24. Bill in congress to retaliate in kind for "inhuman treatment of war prisoners" by Confederates was laid on the table.

Porter's immense fleet bombarded Fort Fisher vigorously. The heaviest missiles were fired from 150 pounder rifles. The fort fired 672 shots in reply and had three guns disabled by naval fire.

Twenty-five Years Ago Today.

Influenza epidemic was spreading in Europe, often developing into inflammation of the lungs with fatal results.

NO FIXED

(Continued from Page 1.) hours to see to it personally that everything was in order there for Christmas day. Little Annie Cotran of Philadelphia, the President's grand niece is a White House guest for the holidays and for the first time in years a large fir Christmas tree had been set up. The President was to act as "Santa Claus."

The White House mail continued in increasing volume today. Postmen bearing greetings for the President and presents for members of the family were frequently in evidence at the White House during the day.

White House employees to the number of 125 including clerks, domestics and policemen were made happy today because the President had presented each of them with a 15 pound turkey as a Christmas gift.

VON HINDENBERG MOST POPULAR MAN IN ALL GERMANY.

(Associated Press Telegram.) Berlin, Dec. 4. (Correspondence of the Associated Press.) Field Marshal Paul von Hindenberg is easily the most popular man in Germany just now and his name is already in great demand for new streets. In every city where new streets are being laid out or a certain one to be called after him, the name of Hindenberg is being chosen. But the Silesian town of Zabrze is determined to go all other towns one better by changing its own name to that of Hindenberg, and the latter has given his consent.

Santa to Visit Little Ones at Orphans' Home

DONATIONS RECEIVED FROM VARIOUS SOURCES ARE GIVEN TO SUPERINTENDENT.

Which Makes It Possible for Him and His Wife to Make Unfortunate Happy.

Fifty-five little children were made happy on Wednesday afternoon and fifty-five little heads will lie restlessly on their pillows tonight watching for the approach of Santa Claus with his big box of toys and Christmas goodies.

These children are wards of the county, and are being made happy by Superintendent and Mrs. Harvey Orr at the Children's Home. On Wednesday afternoon they were given a Christmas surprise by a party of young people in the city. Recently the Nutter-Hawkins orchestra gave a charity ball in West Newark, and all service was donated and \$22 was realized in this way. The following young folks, William Williams, George Coyle, Otto Bourner, Emory Vance, Miss Doris Ruzg, Miss Eva Owens, Miss Edith Hamilton, Henry Bayer, Howard Robinson, Mrs. Frank Hamilton, Raymond Coyle, Miss Hazel Thompson, C. Bishop, H. Einsveller, M. Melvin, A. T. Richards and Joe Green donated the sum of \$6.30 and their services, toys and candies, and all who could went to the Home Wednesday afternoon. They had sent a tree which was placed in the chapel and all were busily engaged in decorating the tree which was a thing of beauty with its bright tinsel, toys, candies, nuts and fruits. Mrs. Orr, the matron, then told the children they were wanted to drill in the chapel and great was their surprise when they beheld the beautiful tree and all were laden with gifts.

Tonight, Christmas eve, the children will be given their annual treat by the Superintendent and Mrs. Orr. Out of the fund furnished yesterday, two turkeys were purchased and donated and this evening a turkey dinner will be served. Then Santa Claus will visit each room and gifts will be distributed to the children. The Home is a model of cleanliness and cheerfulness and every little tot is bright and happy. The youngest of the county's family is but three and a half years old, while the oldest is seventeen.

STRAIN TOO GREAT.

Hundreds of Newark Readers Find Daily Toil a Burden.

The hustle and flurry of business men.

The hard work and stooping of workmen.

The woman's household cares. Often weaken the kidneys. Backache, headache, dizziness, kidney troubles, urinary troubles—frequently follow.

A Newark citizen tells you what to do.

C. L. Starr, harness maker, 28 W. Church St., Newark, says: "My back pains me so severely at times that I can hardly move. Doan's Kidney Pills always fix me up in good shape. Whenever I hear of anyone suffering with kidney complaint, I always recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. You may continue to use my name, praising this remedy."

Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Starr had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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(Continued from Page 1.) mans had any strategic importance, but the German view has now found expression from Field Marshal von Hindenberg, who remarked to the representative of the Associated Press on the eastern front that he considered it "the turning point of the campaign."

All the armies are planning to spend Christmas as best they may. Boxes and greetings from home have been or are being distributed in the trenches, at the hospitals and in the camps, hundreds of thousands of postcards to the soldiers and sailors from King George and Queen Mary being one feature of the British gifts.

The Austrian attempts to crush Serbia which some predicted would be abandoned in view of the recent turn of events by which the Servians reoccupied Belgrade, are soon to be renewed in the form of a "final blow," according to dispatches from Budapest.

Files Answer.

In the case of Augustine Sissac vs. Jean Podes, in which the former sued for \$10,000 damages for alleged breach of contract, has filed an answer admitting that in a newspaper published in the Roumanian language called The Voice of the Times, was printed the article of faith in the plaintiff's petition, and denies each and every other allegation.



Black Silk Stove Polish

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Mob Frenzy Convicted Frank Who Is Condemned to Death

(Continued from Wednesday.)

The Mayor of the city was at log-
gerheads with the police officials.
Just before Mary Phagan was mur-
dered there had been much talk and
rumors of graft on the part of the
Atlanta police, and a public investi-
gation had been threatened. Atlanta
had grown from a population of 87,
000 in 1900 to a population of 209,
000 in 1913. The heads of the po-
lice force were the crude product of
a small city suddenly burgeoned into
metropolitan greatness.

Associated in a way with the
Mayor in his fight against alleged
police graft was Colonel Thomas B.
Felder, the man who is generally
credited with having procured the
release of Charles W. Morse from
the Federal prison at Atlanta. Felder
is a lawyer of prominence and re-
presents very large interests through-
out the country. He had worked in
conjunction with William J. Burns
in exposing the dispensary frauds in
South Carolina. He claimed to have
been employed in the Frank case by
certain neighbors of Mary Phagan's
parents. Felder brought to Atlanta
a Burns representative in the person
of C. W. Tobie of Chicago, an expert
investigator in criminal matters.
Also he sought to secure from Mary
Phagan's stepfather written authori-
ty for his own employment in order
to secure professional entrance into
the case.

This attempt the police exposed.
The only plausible purpose of the ex-
posure was to ridicule Felder and to
destroy his possible usefulness in the
Phagan murder case. Felder publicly
retorted that the police system of At-
lanta was as dangerous as "the deadly
society of the Mafia," and dramati-
cally declared that the police were
shielding Leo Frank; that he had
been told that they had extorted a
confession from a "negro by the name
of Conley," who was then in jail, and
that this was done in conspiracy with
the Pinkertons, who had been em-
ployed by the National Pencil com-
pany, and to thwart the efforts of
the Burns Detective Agency. The
police and the Pinkertons both as-
sured the public that they had worked
from the beginning on the theory of
Frank's guilt, and that there was con-
clusive evidence against Frank not yet
made public. All this happened just
as the police had discovered, but had
not made public, the fact that Conley
was the author of the "Murder
Notes." Frank thus became, as well
as the victim of newspaper hysteria,
a pawn in a feud between two politi-
cal forces and between two detective
agencies.

Of this side issue, so unfortunate
for Frank, and for which he was in
no way responsible, the Atlanta Con-
stitution said:
"One thing is certain—it means
one of the bitterest fights for con-
trol of the city government that At-
lanta has ever known. A singu-
lar fact is that this war of fac-
tions should have grown out of
the murder of an innocent child."
To cap the climax of this interlude,
the representative of the Burns De-
tective Agency packed his trunk and
left town, declaring that he also was
a firm believer in Frank's guilt. The
plot was thickening about Frank with
as deadly certainty as it drawn by a
loadstone and with a harmony that
would have shamed the genius of a
Belasco.

If the police turned back, it would
hasten and magnify the graft investi-
gation which they feared. They told
Conley the pencil-factory authorities
were charging that he had committed
the murder, and showed him a news-
paper with glaring headlines announc-
ing this fact. Conley then asserted
that he had written one of the "Mur-
der Notes" at Frank's dictation, and
that Frank himself had written the
other. The police took Conley from
the custody of the sheriff and placed
him at police headquarters, where, day
by day, they put him through his
facings. Even Conley's lawyer was
not allowed to be present at these
interviews.

Meanwhile the Formby woman,



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the keeper of the questionable house
who had made affidavit that Frank
had repeatedly telephoned her on the
night of the murder asking for a
room, and her whereabouts are un-
known. The police announced that
they would produce her at the trial,
but they did not. Her story would
not tally with Conley's. After the
conviction of Frank, and the refusal
of the supreme court of Georgia to
grant a new trial, this woman made
an affidavit in which she declared
that her former statement was pro-
cured by two city detectives named
Chewning and Norris, who came to
her home and plied her with whisky
until they had secured the affidavit
they wanted.

"Jim" Conley was 27 years old.
He had gone to the public schools of
Atlanta for two years. He had
served a term in jail. He had been
fined six times for disorderly con-
duct. He had worked for the pencil
factory for two years, and was a
floor sweeper. One of the witnesses
employed at the factory testified that
Conley "always seemed to be kind
of nervous or half drunk." More
than once he had been found lying
drunk in the factory. He was a low,
squat negro with a "ginger-cake"
complexion. He lived in a little
shack with a woman who was not his
wife, and her two children, in that
part of the city given over to the
colored population. He was a fre-
quenter of low negro dives and pool
rooms, and at times a heavy drinker.
He was arrested in the factory on the
Thursday morning following the
murder while engaged in attempting
to wash some stains from a shirt. A
score of people testified to Conley's
general bad character and to his lack
of credibility even under oath. Mem-
bers of his own race, people who had
known him all his life, with one ac-
cord testified that he was unworthy
of belief. The combined efforts
of the state and the police could not
in the whole State of Georgia find one
man to vouch for Conley.

Frank was convicted solely on
Conley's testimony. Without it
there was no case. With it there
was worse than no case. One
person saw Frank and Conley to-
gether on the day of the murder, al-
though Conley swore they walked
the streets of Atlanta for blocks.

Conley swore that on Friday after-
noon before the murder Frank had
asked him to come to the pencil fac-
tory on the next day, Saturday, that
he had come work for him to do on
the second floor. He got to the pen-
cil factory about 8:30 a. m. on Sat-
urday. He met Frank at the en-
trance. Frank then told Conley that
he wanted him to watch inside the
street entrance, "like I had watched
before"—to prevent anyone going up-
stairs while Frank was "chatting"
with a young lady. "When the lady
comes," said Frank, "I will stomp
like I did before. That will be the
lady, and you go and shut the door.
When I whistle you can then unlock
the door and you come upstairs to
my office then like you were going
to borrow some money, and that will
give the young lady time to get out."

After Mary Phagan went up stairs,
Conley swore he heard her footsteps
going toward Frank's office. Later he
heard two people walking out of the
office "and going like they were com-
ing down the steps," but they went
back toward the metal department.
Then he heard a scream. Next he
saw Monteen Stover, a young girl of
Mary Phagan's age, enter the building.
She had on a pair of tennis shoes and
a raincoat. After Monteen Stover
came back, in about five minutes,
Conley heard some one from the metal
department "come running back there
upstairs on their tiptoes," and later he
heard some one tiptoeing back toward
the metal department. "After that I
kind of dozed off and went to sleep.
Next thing I knew Mr. Frank was up
over my head stomping, and then I
went and locked the door, and sat on
the box a little while, and the next
thing I heard was Mr. Frank whist-
ling."

When Conley heard Frank whistle
he unlocked the door, as prearranged
by Frank, and went up the steps.
Frank was standing at the top of the
steps on the second floor—there were
double doors leading to the second
floor halfway up the stairway—"shiv-
ering and trembling and rubbing his
hands. He had a little rope in his
hands—a long, wide piece of rope. He
repe around her neck. She was dead,
face was red."

When Conley got to the top of the
stairway Frank asked him, "Did you
see that little girl who passed here a
while ago?" and Conley replied that
he had seen one pass upstairs, and
that she had come back down the
stairs; but he had seen another girl
go up the stairs who hadn't come
back.

Frank thereupon told Conley that
the little girl that hadn't returned
wanted to know something about her
work, and he had gone back to the
metal department with the girl to see
if the metal had come so that the
girl could return to work. Frank
told Conley that he had spoken dis-
respectfully to the little girl, she had
resented it, "and I struck her, and I
guess I struck her too hard and she
fell and hit her head against some-
thing and I don't know how bad she
got hurt. He asked me if I wouldn't
go back there and bring her up, so
that he could put her somewhere, and
he said to hurry, that there would be
money in it for me. When I went
back to the metal room I found the
body lying flat on her back with a
rope around her neck. She was dead,
and I came back and told Mr. Frank
the girl was dead, and he said
"Sh. sh. sh." I noticed the clock, and it
was four minutes to one. He said to
go and get a piece of cloth to put
around her, and I did, and got a
piece of cloth. I saw her hat and a
piece of ribbon and her slippers lying
there, and I took them and put them
in the cloth with the body. The cloth
was tied just like a person that was

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going to give out clothes on Monday."

Conley then went on to say that he
tried to carry the body of the girl, but
that she was too heavy, and he let her
fall, and that Frank then helped to
carry her to the elevator, where they
lowered her into the cellar and where
Conley alone carried her to the place
where she was found, "after pitching"
the hat, the ribbon and slippers "over
in front of the boiler." Frank and he
then went back to Frank's office on
the second floor on the elevator.

"Frank commenced rubbing his
hands and rubbing back his hair, and
all at once he happened to look out
of the door and there was somebody
coming, and he said: 'My God, here
is Emma Clarke and Corintha Hall!'
Come over here, Jim; I have got
to put you in this wardrobe," and he
put me in the wardrobe, and I stay-
ed there a good while, and they
came in there and I heard them go
out, and Mr. Frank come and said:
'You are in a tight place,' and I
said: 'Yes,' and he said: 'You done
very well.'"

(Continued Saturday.)

It is estimated that the annual
catch of lobsters in the world is
125,000,000.

RUSSIA REPORTS AUSTRIAN SORTIE WAS REPULSED

(ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM)
Petrograd, Dec. 23.—A statement
issued by the official press bureau
today regarding the fighting along
the Russian front says:
"On the left bank of the Pilica
obstinate fighting continues in the
region of the Villages of Jeesesee
and Rojokowawella about six miles
west of Novomiaslo.

"On the right bank of the Pilica
we have made progress in the vicin-
ity Opoczno and Tamaszow.

"In Galicia our success continues.
South of the Vistula we captured
during the 21st and 21st, 66 officers
and 5,600 men, three cannon and
ten mitrailleurs.

"In the Carpathians, while pursu-
ing the retreating Austrians, we
captured on Dec. 22 thirty officers
and about 1500 men.

"Near Przemysl the Austrians at-
tempted a new sortie during which
several of their advance companies
were completely annihilated. Other
advance companies were made pris-
oners. In this affair we seized
about a mile of railway leading into
the city."

JAP WARSHIPS CONVOY BRITISH MERCHANT SHIPS

(ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM)
Lima, Peru, Dec. 24.—The Japan-
ese battleship Hizen, accompanied by
a Japanese torpedo boat destroyer
and several English merchantmen,
has anchored seven miles off Puerto
de Pisura on the northern coast of
Peru. The Hizen and the destroyer
came from Acapulco, Mex., and are
probably convoying the merchantmen
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York at 6:30 P. M. Schedule shortened two hours and forty
minutes. Train No. 2 makes direct connection at Chicago Junc-
tion with Train No. 8, from Chicago.

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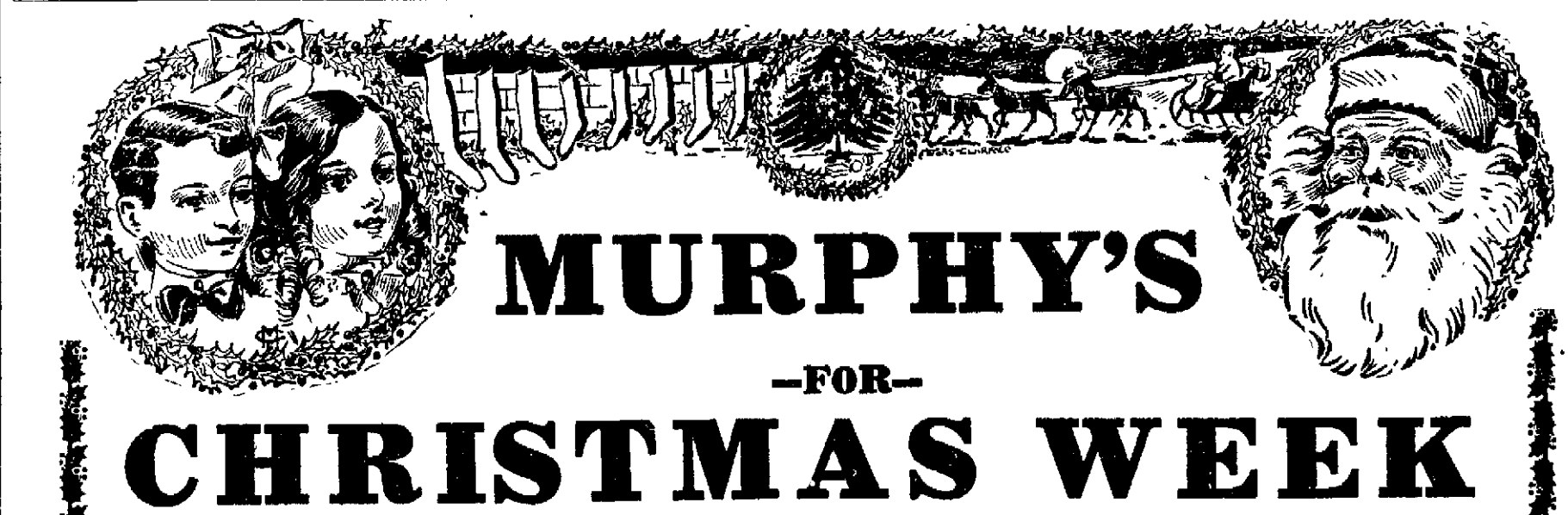


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Merry Christmas!

There will be no issue of the Advocate tomorrow as Christmas day has always been observed by this newspaper as a holiday.

Among the privileges that come at this annual holiday is that of offering assurances of good will. The Advocate takes this opportunity to offer its hearty greetings to every reader, and in the language of Samuel E. Kiser, may this greeting be "accompanied by the hope that the joys you have may never diminish and that others may be added to them."

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to all. We can't resist the desire to add that every one's Christmas will be all the merrier if each one will tonight or tomorrow remember certain homes that Santa Claus is almost sure to overlook.

Christmas Giving.

The Christmas season is always the occasion of a great deal of personal generosity. The amount of money given to needy people at the holiday season is much greater than is generally realized.

The willingness to help in this personal way, in such cases of destitution as are met in one's daily life, where the contribution will appear in no printed list of givers, is an acid-test of character. It is a test that has been met with unusual frequency this winter, when the war and other causes have led to an unusual amount of unemployment and poverty.

The man who fails to do what may be considered his fair share in helping to care for the misfortune about him, is not always unsympathetic. He is too fearful of his own future. The darker portent of misfortune looms too large in his own mind. He would like to give, but he timidly looks over his own shoulder for the possible specter of destitution or disease. He feels that every dollar possible must be saved for his own bank deposit, which may be handsome already.

Another man's bank balance may be negligible or non-existent. He

Dec. 24 in American History.

1745—Benjamin Rush, "signer" colonial congressman and eminent medical practitioner, born: died 1813.
1811—Burning of the Richmond theater, Richmond, Va.; seventy persons lost their lives, including the governor of the state.
1814—Treaty of peace between the United States and Great Britain, ending the war of 1812, signed at Ghent, Belgium. Hostilities continued for weeks owing to the slow means of communication across the Atlantic.

1903—Rear Admiral Edwin White, U. S. N., died; born 1843.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Evening stars: Jupiter, Saturn, Mars. Morning stars: Mercury, Venus. The first magnitude star Procyon, seen close to the horizon due east.

Is There Santa Claus?

Nearly twenty years ago a little girl, Virginia O'Hanlon, eight years old, evinced some doubt of the existence of Santa Claus. The child was so skeptical that she wrote to the New York Sun and Frank P. Church was the author of the reply printed in the Sun:

"We take pleasure in answering at once and thus prominently the communication below, expressing at the same time our great gratification that its faithful author is numbered among the friends of The Sun:

"Dear Editor: I am eight years old. Some of my little friends say there is no Santa Claus. Papa says: 'If you see it in The Sun, it's so.' Please tell me the truth: if there is a Santa Claus."

"VIRGINIA O'HANLON."

"Virginia, your little friends are wrong. They have been affected by the skepticism of a skeptical age. They do not believe except they see. They think that nothing can be which is not comprehensible by their little minds. All minds, Virginia, whether they be men's or children's, are little. On this great universe of ours man is a mere insect, an ant, in his intellect, as compared with the boundless world about him, as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole of truth and knowledge."

"Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist, and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! how dreary would be the world if there were no Santa Claus. There would be no children-like faith then, no poetry, no romance to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment except in sense and sight. The eternal light with which childhood filled the world would be extinguished."

"Not believe in Santa Claus! You might as well not believe in fairies! You might get your papa to hire men to watch in all the chimneys on Christmas eve to catch Santa Claus, but that is no sign that there is no Santa Claus. The most real things in the world are those that neither children nor man can see. Did you ever see fairies dancing on the lawn? Of course not, but that's no proof that they are not there. Nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders there are unseen and unseeable in the world."

"You might tear apart the baby's rattle and see what makes the noise inside but there is a veil covering the unseen world which not the strongest man, nor even the united strength of faith, fancy, poetry, love, can push aside that curtain and view and picture the supernal beauty and glory beyond. Is it all real? Ah, Virginia, in all this world there is nothing else real and abiding."

"No Santa Claus! Thank God! he lives, and he lives forever. A thousand years from now, Virginia, may, ten times ten thousand years from now, he will continue to make glad the heart of childhood."

Thousands of good women and good men in the United States are today vitalizing the Santa Claus spirit through the medium of the enormous relief agencies which are trying to alleviate destitution among the child-victims of the European war.

Among them is the Committee of Mercy, a neutral non-sectarian organization of which Hon. Elihu Root is president, and Hon. August Belmont is treasurer, 290 Fifth avenue, New York. Another is the Dollar Christmas Fund for Homeless Belgians. Henry Claws, treasurer, to which the subscriptions made through the Advocate were sent. Then there is the local organization which is raising a fund in connection with the Community Christmas tree. The tree will be lighted tonight.

The money given to this fund will be used to good advantage by the committee appointed to distribute the money.

It is not too late to join in this movement designed to be helpful to others. To participate in a movement to help others on Christmas eve is a good way to make one's own Christmas a merry one.

The British war censor does not give out any news Christmas day, but many newspapers will publish no edition tomorrow anyway.

The college students are home for the holidays, showing the benefits of education in their stylish clothes.

The young people are hoping that the old folks will be properly shocked by the late hours they keep at the holiday dances.

When the war bulletins don't give any news, it is often a sign that some real news exists.

There is a feeling among the younger element that the old folks should give them fish horns with which to keep the family awake New Year's eve.

The receipt of a Christmas postcard gives genuine pleasure. It shows that one is remembered and that's worth something.

The feeling prevails among the older generation that a tin trumpet that won't blow is just what the little darlings ought to have for Christmas.

Spirit of the Press

Tribe All Alike.

Someone is protesting against the introduction of "heathen savages" in the European war. As if they were any worse than "Christian savages."—Rochester Herald.

Worth Trying Tomorrow.

Charity is a splendid exercise for the heart.—Baltimore American.

Mince Pie.

There are certain things which are always failures outside of one's own home. One of them is mince pie.—Wheeling Register.

Ex-President Taft.

Mr. Taft will only demonstrate more forcibly than ever to some of his fellow-Republicans that he is no politician by the dispassionate way in which he expresses amusement at "the passing show" in the partisan agitation for bigger armaments. If he were loyally performing his part in a campaign aimed at the Wilson administration, he could not calmly remark, "I do not believe that we are defenseless." He would try to look panic-stricken and do his duty by alarming other people.—New York World.

Pointed Observations

The old motto might have read: "In time of peace prepare for Hobson and Gardner!"—Chicago Herald.

Senator LaFollette has French blood in his veins and so has his Democratic colleague, Mr. Hastings. The Wisconsin German-Americans are a very numerous element in the electorate, but there is no trouble on that account.—Springfield Republican.

It appears from the Berlin newspapers that all the bathing beaches on the east coast of England are "fortified," just like Coney Island, presumably.—New York World.

Not only has the United States exported and imported more from Latin-America than any other nation, as John Barrett shows, but there is also the extensive sale of American goods in South America via London under British labels.—Detroit Journal.

It looks a little as if quiet were being maintained in Mexico City by executing the fellows that are inclined to make a noise.—Indianapolis News

While opposed to the literacy test in the pending immigration bill, President Wilson does not know whether that one point would make him decide against the measure. A short residence in Washington inures a man to illiteracy and indecision.—New York Evening Telegram.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

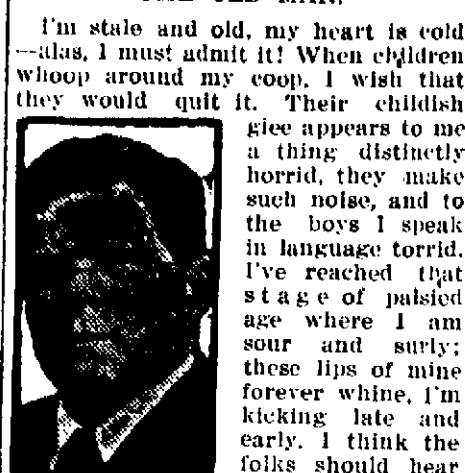
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by him.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

The Columbus Republican Globe will give a concert and ball on the evening of the inauguration of Governor Willis.

Uncle Walt

THE OLD MAN.



I'm stale and old, my heart is cold—alas, I must admit it! When children whoop around my coop, I wish that they would quit it. Their childish glee appears to me a thing distinctly horrid, they make such noise, and to the boys I speak in language torrid. I've reached that stage of palsied age where I am sour and surly; these lips of mine forever whine, I'm kicking late and early. I think the folks should hear my jokes, my ancient jokes and punning; I think all hands should my commands obey and do it running. Alas, I know I selfish grow, my faculties get muddled; I cry, "Gee whizz! My comfort is the thing you all should study!" An open door makes me so sore, and I get up and slam it, and to my shame I then exclaim some words that rhyme with "Jam it!" A fire burned low fills me with woe, I snort like Alexander, till women flee to comfort me and soothe my senile dander. And thus old age brings empty rage and temper cross and mulish, and peevish pout and mental gout and passion false and foolish. My folks I tire with useless ire, and bore them to distraction; to my sad kin my cashing in should bring large satisfaction.

Luke McLuke

(Cincinnati Enquirer.)

The women do not use up all the safety pins. The married men have to have something to take the place of buttons.

You can get seasick without going near the ocean. Just listen to a Young Thing talking to her fellow over the phone.

All women are made in the same mold. And yet every woman is different.

When a man is the father of about fifteen children he hasn't any business cussing Adam because Adam ate an Apple.

Men regard women as toys. But the ones wearing the brightest paint are not always the most popular.

The man who can't tell wool from cotton when he buys a suit can always tell rye from bourbon when he buys a drink.

NEWARK PEOPLE RETURNED FROM DELIGHTFUL TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Garber have returned from an extended eastern trip, visiting in New York City a month and seeing the many wonders there. They left the home of Mrs. McVicker, formerly Mrs. Sumner of our city on the steamer Northland they traveled to Maine and visited their son and son-in-law's families, Portland, Lewiston, Rumford, Minot and other places where in more wild regions in mountainous parts roam the bear, moose, deer, panther and Indian Devil, a ferocious beast. After several weeks Mr. and Mrs. Garber returned to New York, stayed a couple weeks, visited the summer home in Stamford, Conn., where they motored 40 miles in the McVicker auto. They went to the Hippodrome theatre and took auto rides daily sight seeing. They came to Pennsylvania where Mrs. Garber has two sisters and one brother residing, visiting at their respective homes, in Pittsburgh, Down to Washington they went visiting their cousin Robert Garber and also to the birth place of Mr. Garber's father the Venerable S. B. Garber deceased. Mrs. Garber unfortunately sprained her ankle from which she is slowly recovering. Both came to Dennison and remained with two nephews of Mr. Garber for a week then to Mrs. Garber's cousins at Newcomerstown. They are now at the home of their daughter Mrs. C. F. Stout to remain for the holidays and will then resume their quiet life in Pataskala street.

Mr. and Mrs. Garber had a very interesting enjoyable trip of three and one-half months.

Rev. Robert C. Stewart, 84, retired Columbus minister, died Wednesday.

Thomas H. McConica, formerly of Findlay, is candidate for parliament from Western Canada. He is operating a big farm there.

Jim Broughton's Greetings

With thanks and appreciation for past favors, we desire for each and all our customers a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

Arcade Annex

Good
Eats.

Fitzsimmons Cafe

Good
Eats.

Our Christmas Dinner Menu

ROAST TURKEY—OYSTER DRESSING
CRANBERRY SAUCE
ROAST SPRING LAMB MINT SAUCE
ROAST BEEF, AU JUS
SNOWFLAKE POTATOES CANDIED SWEET POTATOES
CREAMED PEAS CREAM SLAW
ENGLISH PLUM PUDDING
PRICE 35 CENTS

Charity Bodies to Unite In Movement to Aid Humanity

The following letter has been prepared and will be mailed late today to all organizations in the city interested in charity work. If any such organization does not receive the letter, it is an unintentional oversight, as an effort has been made to reach every organization. All organizations interested are expected to send representatives. The letter follows:

"A meeting will be held in the council chamber, city building, at Fourth and Main streets, Tuesday, Dec. 29, at 3:30 p. m., for the purpose of uniting all organizations in the city doing charity work."

"Your organization is requested to send a representative to this meeting with full authority to assist in perfecting an organization that will systematically conduct such work."

"The need of such an organization has been apparent for several years and the conditions now are such that the need is greater than ever. It was the sentiment of the public meeting held Tuesday, Dec. 15, that such organization should be non-sectarian."

"Respectfully,

"R. C. BIGBEE,
"W. M. MORGAN,
"JOHN J. CARROLL,
"FRANK L. JOHNSON."

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2. M. W. of A. Foresters' Encampment, Toledo, Ohio.
3. "The Man Who Came Back," or the story of the M. W. of A. Free Sanatorium located at Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Will be shown at the Lyric Theatre, Monday, December 28th, afternoon and night.

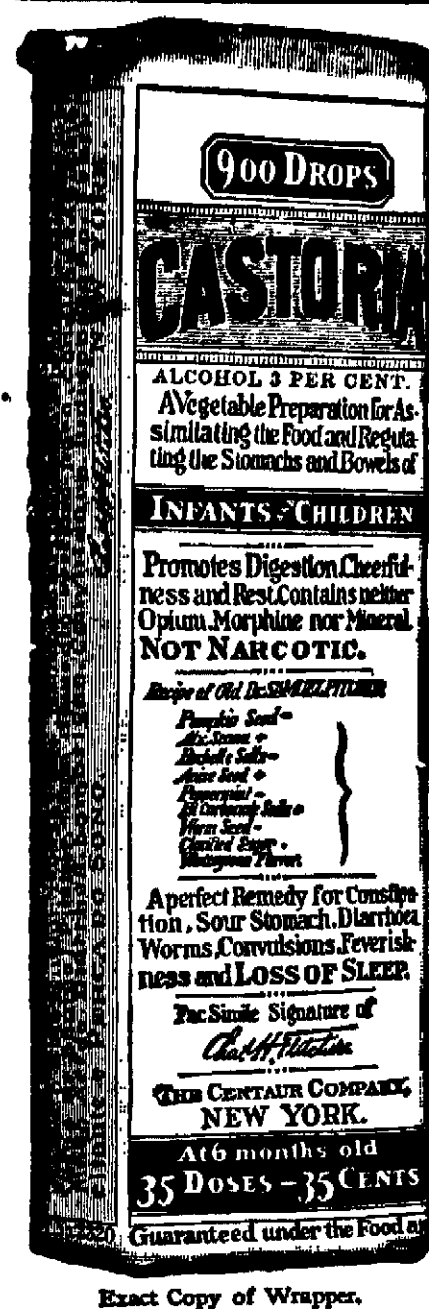
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PLANS

BEING FORMULATED FOR RE-ORGANIZATION OF THE HOSLER BREWERY CO.

Appointment of a Receiver Does Not Presage a Loss to Any of the Stockholders.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM)
Columbus, Dec. 24.—That a reorganization of the Hoster-Columbus Associated Breweries company is being planned, was the general impression in business circles here today, following the announcement yesterday that the \$12,000,000 corporation had been put into receivers hands by Judge Sater of the federal district court here on application of an eastern malt house, those familiar with the company's business affairs asserted that the reorganization would be effected with a capitalization practically equalling the amount of the bonds of the company now outstanding. The outstanding bonds total about \$4,799,000, and the proposed capitalization of the reorganized company would be, it is said, not more than \$5,000,000. The present total outstanding capitalization is \$9,149,000, of which \$2,700,000 is 6 per cent cumulative preferred, and \$1,650,000 common stock. Dividends have not been paid on the preferred stock since February, 1906, excepting 1 per cent in February, 1911. The company has never earned anything for its common shareholders.

It was stated today the proposed reorganization would mean practically nothing to shareholders as the appointment of a receiver does not presage a depreciation or loss of investment on the part of shareholders, because of the fact that the stock of the company has had but little market for several years. It is asserted that the company was unable to meet the sinking fund requirement of \$50,000 and pay the annual bond interest aggregating \$143,970.

The statement issued by the company fringing out the volume of business lost because of legislation adverse to the liquor business created much interest here.

Obituary

Bessie S. Williams.

Bessie S. Williams, daughter of David and Mary Williams, deceased, was born at Homer, O., Oct. 21, 1869. Departed this life Dec. 17, 1914, aged 45 years, 1 month and 26 days. She was united in marriage to John H. Edwards, August 2, 1891. To this union was born one daughter, Anna Fay.

She leaves to mourn, the husband, the daughter, three sisters, Mrs. Ella Jones of Mt. Vernon, Mrs. T. H. Van Petten of Colfax, Ill., Mrs. S. F. Bowman of Pataskala, and two brothers, J. T. Williams, of Merced, Texas, Geo. M. Williams of the home. One sister, Anna (whose name she often called in her late illness,) and two brothers John and Chas. having preceded her to her home beyond.

She united with the Presbyterian church of Homer at an early age and later by letter with the M. E. church at Appleton. Her life has been a living example of a true Christian, eulogized by her family and friends.

The devoted husband has lost a loyal trusting companion. The daughter, who has nursed her mother with tenderest care will miss the love and counsel of a kind and loving mother. The brother and sisters will miss a most affectionate sister. The community will know no more forever the influence of a good neighbor and a sincere friend, but her influence has elevated all who have known her well and the effect will live as an inspiration that will do good as long as the memory of her friends shall last.

She was conscious of her serious condition but patient and resigned.

She expressed a desire to live but never murmured or complained and always said with Christian fortitude: "It is all right."

She planned her own funeral arrangements as carefully as she had planned for everything throughout her life. Week after week her family, with the exception of one brother has constantly watched by her bedside, and all that could be done by human skill and loving tender nursing—failed—for her sufferings were beyond the reach of human power; and God, in his all-wise providence, took this worthy woman to crown her as one of his celestial jewels.

Why this is?—we do not understand, and it is not for us to question—even though we must see Earth's fairest transplanted to the eternal garden to bloom forever where all is peace and joy.

N. Paublos.

N. Paublos, 150 South Second street, died Wednesday evening after a short illness, dissolution being due to heart trouble and hemorrhages. He was only ill a few weeks.

Mr. Paublos was a native of Greece and came to this city from Circleville, O., about a year and a half ago. He was a candy and ice cream maker by profession, and is said to have been an expert in that line. He is survived by his widow and nine children, two of whom are married, and the other seven living at home. He also has one brother and four sisters in Greece.

The body will be shipped to Cincinnati Friday evening, and the funeral will occur there Saturday.

BODY

OF HOTEL-KEEPER WAS PROBABLY TAKEN TO HIS ROOM AFTER THE MURDER.

Cleveland Detectives Have Evolved Another Theory as to the Mysterious Crime.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM)
Cleveland, O., Dec. 24.—Detectives today were working on the theory that William J. Troy, hotel-owner, who was murdered in his hotel early Monday was not killed in his room where the body was found, but was dead when placed there. The detectives are now clinging to the belief that Troy probably was murdered in his office, likely for revenge, and that the body was taken to the room and his money and valuables removed to give the appearance of robbery.

Detective Captain Walker has obtained a specimen of a woman's hand-writing to compare with that of a name written on the hotel register, and to whom no room was assigned. The hand-writing of a man now held by the police is said to resemble in many respects that of the name on the register.

The name on the hotel register may have been written after the murder to confuse the police. It is argued, and the fact that no room was assigned to this person is pointed to as adding strength to this theory.

STOREKEEPER SUICIDED.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM)
Columbus, Dec. 24.—Benjamin F. Evans, 55, a postmaster and proprietor of a general store at Shadyside, a Franklin county suburb, committed suicide by taking poison at his home early today. His health is believed to have been the cause. Evans had been postmaster at Shadyside for 29 years.

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is one that assists Nature. Regular and natural action of the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels will keep you well and fit, and this action is promoted by

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The Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 25c, 50c.

Personal

Miss Leah Ginter is confined to her home in Maple avenue with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dillon of Cleveland are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Wheeler of High street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Melke of Cleveland are visiting the latter's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Hart of Maple avenue.

Miss Mary Mossach, formerly of Ironton, will spend Christmas and the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Drumm of Mill street.

Ralph Herman Stouffer left Thursday to spend Christmas with his uncle, Charles R. Honenberger and family at Sandusky.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Gardner and daughter Elmira of Washington, D. C., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Keim in Maple avenue.

Misses Nellie and Elizabeth McCarthy of Bowers avenue, left this morning for Springfield, O., where they will spend the holidays with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. William Burke and children of Pittsburg are spending the holidays with Mr. Williams' mother, Mrs. Mary Fitzsimmons of North Eleventh street.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Young and son David Monroe Young of Akron are spending the holidays with Mrs. Young's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Keim of Maple avenue.

Edward Gilbert, who is attending St. Xavier's school in Cincinnati, arrived home today to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gilbert of Central avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Cooper of Columbus are spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Irish of 482 West Main street.

Miss Martha Flannigan, who is attending school in Cincinnati is spending the Christmas vacation at her home in North Fourth street.

Paul Kear of Sharon, Pa., is spending a few days at his home in Newark.

Frank Mueller, who is studying for the priesthood at St. Joseph's in Pittsburg, is spending the holidays with his parents in Cedar street.

A. L. Totten of Wilkesburg, Va., was a business visitor in the city on Wednesday.

Mrs. Nora T. Baker and Miss Adella Baker will spend Christmas with friends and relatives in Coshocton.

Robert Kirkpatrick of this city will spend a few days at his home in Coshocton.

Dale Connors, who is attending the St. Aloysius School for Boys in Cincinnati, is spending Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Susie Connors in Locust street.

BELLIGERENTS ORDERING MILES OF BARBED WIRE

(ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM)
Pittsburg, Dec. 24.—Demand from the belligerent nations of Europe for barbed and plain wire today reached the feverish stage in the wire mills of this district. Offers of orders aggregating 125,000 tons of which 25,000 tons are specified as barbed wire of special design have been made within the past few days, the only point at issue being the time at which delivery can be made. This business is worth approximately \$100,000 and will keep the mills going for several months. Mill officers said the length of the barbed wire alone would reach 500,000 miles while that of the remainder of the order would bring the total to 275,000 miles.

Christmas Greetings
From
Roe Emerson

Of all the Christmas wishes true,
The best of all I wish for you,
May health and happiness combine
To make a Joyous Christmas Time.

Society

The Tuesday Evening Euchre club was delightfully entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cunningham at their home in Bowers avenue, and the home was prettily arranged with holly and Christmas bells. The club game was enjoyed until 10:30 when a delicious luncheon was served the members and one guest, Miss Ina Klinek. Dancing was then enjoyed. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Leo Stevens.

The wedding of Miss Florence E. Williams and Mr. W. J. Jelley of Croton, will be solemnized at the home of the bride in Croton on the afternoon of Christmas Day, Rev. G. H. Walker of Centerburg, reading the marriage service. The groom to be is minister of the Christian Union church at Croton.

COCHRAN-GUTRIDGE.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gutridge, two miles east of Linnville, was solemnized the marriage of their daughter, Ethel Mae Gutridge, to Mr. James G. Cochran of Amsterdam, at 11:30 o'clock Wednesday, December 24, Rev. W. H. Baker of 87 Norton avenue, Newark, officiating. About twenty of the immediate relatives witnessed the ceremony, after which a dinner was served. They are "at home to friends" in the home of the bride's parents, where they will remain in charge of the farm, Mr. Gutridge being in poor health.

A surprise social gathering was held at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Benton in North Pine street on Tuesday evening. The evening was spent in music, and social conversation. At a late hour the guests departed to their various homes. The pastor and family were remembered by several useful donations.

Those present were Mesdames S. W. Baker, Ida Taylor, W. H. Lewis, W.

PURE, RICH BLOOD MADE BY HOOD'S

Pure blood enables the stomach, liver and other digestive organs to do their work properly. Without it they are sluggish, there is loss of appetite, sometimes faintness, a deranged state of the intestines, and, in general, all the symptoms of dyspepsia.

Hood's Sarsaparilla makes pure blood, and this is why it is so very successful in the treatment of so many ailments. Get it today.

LITTLE GIRL IS ABDUCTED WHILE GOING TO SCHOOL

(ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM)
Toledo, Dec. 24.—Police and detectives are investigating a report that Thyra Partenfeller six year old was abducted while on her way to school yesterday.

Clyde Kasmeyer, eight years old, who resides in the same apartment with the Partenfeller family, said that the father of the missing child seized her while she was walking to school and escaped in an automobile.

The mother was awarded the custody of the girl and thinks her former husband took the child to Cleveland.

CRYSTAL PALACE WILL BE CLOSED UNTIL WAR'S END

(ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM)
London, Dec. 15.—Correspondence of the Associated Press.—The Crystal Palace, London's famous recreation ground, will be closed to the public from New Year's Day until the end of the war, in order to provide training quarters for soldiers. It is estimated that at least 10,000 men will bunk in the glass exhibition hall.

One effect will be to cause the English cup final which decides the professional football championship and is the most popular sporting event in England with the exception of the derby race, to be played on other grounds next April.

United Mine Workers, in session at Indianapolis, endorsed the strike of 12,000 eastern Ohio miners.

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WISHES EVERYBODY
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A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS
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—A VERY—

MERRY CHRISTMAS

OUR 1914 Christmas Money Club has already made this a Merry Christmas in deed to more than 1,400 people to whom we mailed checks for over \$25,000 on Dec. 15th. We hope that next year YOU will receive one of our Christmas Money Club checks and thus share in our annual distribution of very substantial Christmas Cheer.

Christmas Time



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ROBBINS HUNTER,

MASONIC CALENDAR.
Acme Lodge, F. & A. M., 554.
Thursday, Jan. 14, 1915, 7 p. m. Regular.
Newark Lodge, No. 97, F. & A. M.
Friday, Jan. 1, 7 p. m. Regular.
Warren Chapter, No. 6, R. A. M.

St. Luke's Commandery, No. 34, K. T.
Christmas observance, Friday, Dec. 25, 11 a. m.
Tuesday, Dec. 29, 7 p. m. Regular.
St. Andrew's Council, R. & S. M., NO. 7.
Wednesday, Jan. 6, 1915, 7 p. m. Regular.

Royal Order of Moose.
Licking Lodge, No. 499, will meet every Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Mazda Program Tomorrow.
"The Lure of Windigo," a 2 reel Selig special feature.
"In Quest of a Story."—Bio.

DON'T SPOIL YOUR XMAS.
The Christmas dinner is the finishing touch to the day's happiness. Don't spoil it with poor coffee. Use OKAY.
12-22-d3t

The banks of the city will be open this evening from seven to eight o'clock.
24-1t

"IT'S A BEAR," Edison comedy, at the GRAND tonight.
1t

Special for Christmas.
A full quart of bottled in bond whiskey, 85 cents. A quart of pure grape brandy \$1. Canfield's 97 Union St.
12-22-3t

For Weed Chains for Automobiles, go to Spillman's Garage, they carry a full line. Spillman's Garage, 53 South Third street, Newark, Ohio.
12-22-2t

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11-10-tf

Ask your grocer for "LICKING BRAND" Creamery Butter, made by the Licking Creamery Co.
4-27tf

"THE PRODIGAL," Kalem two-act drama featuring TOM MOORE and MARGUERITE COURTOT, at the GRAND tonight.
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12-17-d-9t

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"COUSIN JOE," pictured from Balzac's wonderful drama, in two acts by the Biograph company. HEARST-SELIG NEWS PICTORIAL, showing late events of importance.
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The banks of the city will be open this evening from seven to eight o'clock.
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All Automobile owners who have cars equipped with electric starters should have their batteries well charged to keep them from freezing. We have an experienced electrician who takes care of starters and charges batteries. Spillman's Garage, 53 South Third street, Newark, Ohio.
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A Christmas Suggestion. HEISLEY'S GLASSWARE at THE SPERRY-HARRIS CO.
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Pop corn, white and yellow cornmeal. Beans, oat meal, rolled oats, buckwheat, flour and hominy in bulk at Kent Bros. Feed Store.
12-9-12t

LICKING CREAMERY BUTTER.
10-7-d-4t

Notice:—All Barber shops will close all day Xmas and New Years, and will be open until 10:00 o'clock night before.
12-23-d-2t

DON'T FORGET.
Remember forty cups of good coffee to a pound of "OKAY" can you afford to use inferior coffee?
12-22-24-26

The Home Building Association Company will be open this evening from 6:30 to 8:30.
24-1t

The banks of the city will be open this evening from seven to eight o'clock.
24-1t

A Merry Christmas

Good Luck and a Bright and Happy Christmas to you.
Accept this message with the heartiest wishes of

C-O-R-N-E-L-L

29 South Park Place.

Order a case of SPECIAL BREW for your Christmas Dinner.
THE CONSUMERS BREWING CO.
17-6t

LICKING CREAMERY BUTTER.
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Read Mary Pickford's story of her life in the January Ladies' Home Journal.
22-3t

Dr. A. V. Davis, Dentist.
Teeth extracted without pain. Office 26 1/2 West Main street, opposite Advocate office.
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12-9-12t

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10-7-d-4t

Dance at Fromholtz Hall Xmas night, Dec. 25th, by the Jolly Club. All are welcome.
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"THE PLACE THE TIME AND THE MAN," a 2 reel S. & A. special at the MAZDA tonight.
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Ask your grocer for "LICKING BRAND" Creamery Butter, made by the Licking Creamery Co.
4-27tf

FOR YOUR CHRISTMAS DINNER.
Roast Turkey, Cranberry Sauce, Plum Pudding, Mince Pie and of course "Okay Coffee."
12-22-d3t

HOLIDAY GOODS
at the
CITY DRUG STORE
Everything New.
Best in Newark.
12-22-2t

"IT'S A BEAR," Edison comedy, at the GRAND tonight.
1t

Read Mary Pickford's story of her life in the January Ladies' Home Journal.
22-3t

ALHAMBRA THEATRE.
In Arcade
GRAND OPENING XMAS
Day at 1:30 p. m. Program.
"The Fireman and The Girl."
In three parts "A Change of Heart."
12-22-2t

FOUR PIECE ORCHESTRA
Admission: Adults 10c; Children 5c
22-3t

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Don't FORGET THE BIG POULTRY SHOW, January 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, 1915, at the Armory, East Main Street.
23-3t

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SUPPER.
Saturday, Dec. 26.
4:30 to 7:30
MENU:
Roast Fresh Ham
Browned Potatoes
Gravy
Saw
Hot Biscuit
White Bread
Ice Cream
Coke
Coffee
25c.
23-2t

SAVE THE COUPONS.
Our premium department is very busy sending out weaver aluminum Eastman Kodak's Moulton umbrellas, Cut Glass—China and etc., to our customers for coupons from "Okay Coffee."
12-22-24-26

Bank Open This Evening.
The Franklin National bank will be open this evening from 7 to 8 o'clock for the accommodation of its patrons.
12-24dt

To Observe Holiday.
Friday, Christmas day, is a legal holiday and the banks and city and county offices will be closed. Many of the stores will also observe the day by closing early in order that the employees may spend the day at home. The theatres will do a rushing business and no doubt the downtown district will be crowded afternoon and evening.

CHARLIE CAN RISE AGAIN.
The dignity of the law took a tumble twice in rapid succession Thursday morning when Attorney Charles W. Miller demonstrated that he was not quite as agile as he was a few years ago. Attorney Miller had driven to the court house in a machine and just as he stepped onto the walk his feet went out from under him and down he went. He was assisted up by several of the transfer men standing nearby and smilingly started out when a similar accident occurred and down he went again. Before arising he registered a vow that he would secure a pair of "ice creepers" or import an Alpine staff the next time he had to traverse the court house sidewalk.

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Co-operative societies in Bradford, England, have between 40,000 and 50,000 members.

At this Holiday Season when we are drawn closer together by the Spirit of Peace and Good Fellowship—we extend to you our very Best Wishes that your Christmas may be bright and joyful and that the New Year about to dawn may bring you nothing but plenty and Good Fortune.—The Wm. E. Miller Hardware Co.
1t

Christmas Exercise.
The Christmas entertainment will be given by the children of Neal Avenue M. E. church, Friday evening at 7:30. All parents and friends are invited. Come and enjoy the evening with the children.

Advocate Force Remembered.
Mr. S. E. Alban, manager of the Stewart Bros. & Alward company, home furnishings in the Arcade, contributed to the joy of the Advocate force this morning by sending a large box of splendid chocolates for the Advocate young women and a box of good smokes for the men.

Salvation Army Dinner.
All poor children of the city are invited to the big Salvation Army Christmas dinner to be given at 2 o'clock Christmas afternoon in the hall, corner of Church and Fourth streets. The hall has been prettily decorated and a bounteous repast will be served under the direction of Adjutant and Mrs. Watkins.

Death of Sister.
Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson of Maholm street were called to New Castle, O., today by the death of Mr. Johnson's sister, Mrs. John Raucher. The funeral services will be held Saturday.

B. & O. Pay.
The B. & O. pay checks will arrive Saturday morning. They will be handed out to the men at the usual place.

Hall Players Return.
The Hall Players have returned to this city and will resume their engagement at the Victoria, opening with a Christmas matinee, producing "Quincy Adams Sawyer." Several new members have joined the company and they will undoubtedly be greeted with a crowded house. Miss Mina Hohl, a handsome young Newark miss, will make her first appearance with the company tomorrow afternoon.

Fractures Wrist.
Mrs. Friend Jones, residing in Eighth street, slipped and fell on the ice on the east side of the public square, on Wednesday night, fracturing her right wrist. She is suffering greatly today.

Merry Christmas Cigars.
The Advocate office force is under obligations to the Newark Bargain Store for a box of cigars which were enjoyed by the men this afternoon.

Christmas at Kusters.
Will C. Kuster entertained his guests at the Serviss restaurant this noon with orchestra music and Christmas souvenirs—cigars for the men and boxes of candy for the women. This popular restaurant was appropriately decorated for the Christmas season. Mr. Kuster will give his employees a holiday tomorrow so the Serviss will be closed on Christmas for the day.

New Theater is Ready.
By working day and night for three weeks the new Alhambra theater in the Arcade has been completed and will be thrown open tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock by Manager Siebanoller who has contracted for a splendid feature moving picture service.

Breaks Arm and Shoulder.
Mrs. Theodore Ball, residing at 211 Locust street, fell on the ice on Wednesday evening and fractured the left arm and shoulder. Dr. H. H. Postle reduced the fracture.

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LAST CALL CHRISTMAS TREE CHARITY FUND

As the Trades' Assembly and William M. Morgan have provided for every cent of expenses connected with the Community Christmas tree, except the electricity and printing which were donated by the Ohio Light and Power company and the Advocate, all contributions to the fund will be used for local charity work. The fund will be disbursed in the proper way by a competent committee. Every dollar will do much good. Send contributions to the Advocate tonight. If checks are mailed tonight the fund will be open to receive them. Here are the contributions up to noon today:

Business Men's Association	\$25.00
The Advocate	5.00
The American Tribune	5.00
Harry Scott	1.00
Licking Creamery Co.	5.00
T. H. Sites	.75
C. T. Bricker	2.00
Newark Trades and Labor Assembly	5.00
Mrs. A. T. Hull	1.03
Mrs. Eva Bloomer	1.00
Brewery Workers Local	5.00
Teamsters' Union	2.50
Loyal Order of Moose	5.00
W. F. Wolfhoop	1.00
E. J. Conley	1.00
Prudential Men	2.25
A Friend	1.00
T. J. Evans	1.00
Ray C. Beall	1.00
Bar Tenders' League 412	10.00
Brotherhood of Painters	
Decorators and Paper Hangers	5.00
A Friend	1.00
A Friend	.50
Roe Emerson	5.00
Electrical Workers	5.00
Andrew S. Mitchell	2.50
A Friend	1.00
W. M. Shipley	.50
C. E. McDaniels	10.00
Plumbers Local	5.00
J. D. Gosnell	1.00
Henry S. Fleck	10.00
A Friend	1.00

The Marriage Mart.
Eight years ago today twenty-four marriage licenses were issued by the license clerk of the probate court. Today, up until noon, only three licenses were issued, but in all probability a dozen more may be issued before the closing of the office, as many will wait until after the issue of the local papers in order that they may surprise their friends on Christmas day.

Mrs. Chas. Moore and daughter Marguerite of South Fifth street, left today to spend the holidays in Columbus.

WOMEN GET A \$1,072 CHECK FOR CHRISTMAS

Miss Gertrude Garrison of 164 E. Church street and Miss Lida Garrison of the W. W. C. A. received a handsome Christmas gift in the way of a check for \$1,072 from their grandmother's estate in Somerset. There being eight heirs in all.

Keep It Handy for Rheumatism.
No use to squirm and wince and try to wear out your Rheumatism. It will wear you out instead. Apply some Sloan's Liniment. Need not rub it in—just let it penetrate all through the affected parts, relieve the soreness and draw the pain. You get ease at once and feel so much better you want to go right out and tell other sufferers about Sloan's. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25 cents of any druggist and have it in the house—against Colds, Sore and Swollen Joints, Lumbago, Sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief. Buy a bottle today.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION BY ADMIRALTY TO REGISTER TITLE TO AND TO SELL LAND TO PAY DEBTS
Case No. 2.
In the Probate Court of Licking County, Ohio.

Malcolm H. Baker, Administrator, Plaintiff.

Stephen B. Jones et al. Defendants.
To Stephen B. Jones, Esther A. Pugh, Sadie Davis, Mary E. Jones, Newark Trust Co., The State Bank of Chicago, Archie Davis and Chas. D. Lake and to all persons having any interest in the following described land, to-wit:

First Body of Parcel. Situate in the city of Newark, county of Licking and state of Ohio, and being in lot number three hundred and seventy-seven (377) in Council Addition to said city of Newark, according to the re-numbering of lots in said city, and being lot No. 21, Sherwood Addition, according to the old numbering of lots in said city, and being more or less conveyed to William L. Jones, husband of Jane S. Jones, now deceased, by Reuben B. Huntington, by deed bearing date the 12th day of December, 1894, Volume 28 of deeds, page 245 in the Recorder's office of said Licking County.

You are further notified that the above named plaintiff also avers in said application that the debts against said Jane S. Jones, deceased, are in excess of the value of her personal estate and that it is necessary to sell said real estate to pay said debts and costs, and that in order to sell said real estate for such purposes is asked for an order of sale.

You are hereby required to answer said application on or before the 20th day of January, A. D. 1915, and show cause why you have not done so.

If said application should not be granted, and unless you appear at said court on or before the time aforesaid and make answer or other plea to said application, your default will be recorded, the said application will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said application or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, Reuben B. Huntington, Judge of said court, this 24th day of December, in the year nineteen hundred and fourteen.

ROBBINS HUNTER, Judge.
12-24-Thurs-1t

LINCOLN TRAILS WILL BE MARKED IF BILL PASSES

(Associated Press Telegram)
Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 24.—Roads and trails traveled by Abe Lincoln, when he and his parents emigrated from Indiana to Illinois, will be determined and suitably marked, provided a bill being prepared by Jesse W. Weik, a biographer of Greencastle, Ind., is passed by the 1915 legislature, which convenes here January 7. Dr. Weik's will, it became known today, will call for a commission of two to determine the route taken by the Lincoln family when they left this state in 1830.

Illinois has a commission which has just completed the work of tracing the route taken by the Lincoln family from the Wabash river to Decatur, Ill.

Mrs. Harriet Chapman of Charleston, Ill., is the only living member of the Lincoln party that made the trip from Gentryville, Ind., to Decatur, Ill., according to Mr. Weik, and he believes that valuable information can be obtained from her. Mrs. Chapman is the daughter of Dennis Hanks, brother of the mother of Abe Lincoln.

THREE WORKMEN HURT.
(Associated Press Telegram)
Cleveland, Dec. 24.—Three workmen were hurt, one seriously, today in a gas explosion in a man hole at Huron Road and East Ninth street. Simultaneously with this explosion another explosion occurred at Euclid avenue and East Ninth street, but there was no person in this manhole at the time.

NOTICE IN APPLICATION TO REGISTER AND PARTITION LANDS
Cause No. 3.
In the Probate Court of Licking County, Ohio.

Rose Sebring, Plaintiff, vs. Howard Billman et al., Defendants.

To Howard Billman, Rebecca Billman, Nancy Dixon, Martin Dixon, Robert Billman, Jane Billman, John Billman, Mary Billman, Milligan Billman, Alice Billman, George Billman, Margaret J. Billman, Melissa Chaney, Martin Chaney, Ida Newcomb, Shelton Newcomb, Ira Billman, Christine Norman, William Morgan, Jr., George Morgan, Angie Morgan, Reed Morgan, William Morgan, Jr., Minnie Kitch, John Kitch, Homer Billman, Lora Billman, Wayne Sheppard, Susan Sheppard, Emmett Sheppard, Minnie Sheppard, Lulu Thurst, Edward Thurst, Charles Sebring, Nora Sebring, and to all persons having any interest in or lien or charge upon the lands or any part thereof described herein.

You are hereby notified that an application has been filed in said court by Rose Sebring to settle, determine and remove all clouds from and to register her title in and to and to settle, determine and register all lesser other estates and interests in and all liens and charges upon, the following described land, to-wit:

First Body of Parcel. Situate in the township of Fallsburg, county of Licking and state of Ohio, and being in Township Four, Range 10, Section 20, being the south end of the southwest quarter, commencing at the southeast corner of said quarter; thence running north thirty-one rods; thence west eighty rods; thence north eighty rods; thence west eighty rods; thence south forty-nine rods; thence east one hundred and sixty rods to a place of beginning containing forty acres and being the same premises as were conveyed to George Billman by Elizabeth Moran by deed dated April 15th, 1864, recorded in Volume 85 at Page 421 of the Licking County, Ohio, Deed Records.

Parcel Number Two. Beginning at a concrete monument on the south line of Section 19, six hundred and ninety-eight and one-half (698 1/2) feet to a concrete monument on the southwest corner of Section 19. Thence north fourteen hundred and eighty-nine (1489) feet to a concrete monument. Thence east seven hundred and sixty-five (765) feet to a concrete monument. Thence south four hundred and eighty-nine (489) feet to a concrete monument. Thence west along the south line of Section 19 seven hundred and thirty-five (735) feet to the place of beginning. Being 25 acres more or less. All of which is located in Section 19, Range 10, Township Four and Third Quarter.

Parcel Number Three. Beginning at a concrete monument in the southwest corner of Section 19, thirteen hundred and eighty-nine (1389) feet along the line between Section 18 and Section 19 to a stone monument. Thence east six hundred and sixty-five (665) feet to a concrete monument. Thence south fourteen hundred and eighty-nine (1489) feet to a concrete monument. Thence west along the south line of Section 19 six hundred and sixty-five (665) feet to the place of beginning. All of which is located in Section 19, Range 10, Township Four and Third Quarter.

Parcel Number Four. Beginning at a point ninety and three-fourths (90 3/4) feet west of an old stone on the half section line between Sections 18 and 19. Thence west along the half section line seven hundred and sixty-three (763) feet to a concrete monument. Thence south thirteen hundred and forty-four (1344) feet to a concrete monument. Thence east eight hundred and fifty-four (854) feet to the place of beginning. All of which is located in Section 18, Range 10, Township Four, and in the Fourth Quarter. Being 22 1/2 acres more or less.

Parcel Number Five. Beginning at a concrete monument eight hundred and fifty-eight (858) feet south of a concrete monument in the center of Section 19. Thence south along the half section line one thousand and sixty-seven (1067) feet to a concrete monument. Thence west thirteen hundred and eighty-nine (1389) feet to a concrete monument. Thence north one thousand and sixty-seven (1067) feet to a concrete monument. Thence east along the south line of Section 18, Range 10, Township Four, and in the Fourth Quarter. Being 22 1/2 acres more or less.

You are further notified that the plaintiffs in said application seek to have partition of said lands made among the defendants owning the same according to their respective rights and interests therein.

You are hereby required to answer said application on or before the 20th day of January, A. D. 1915, and show cause why you have not done so.

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ROBBINS HUNTER, Judge.
12-24-Thurs-1t

To The People of Newark and Vicinity Christmas Greeting

May this card convey our sincere appreciation of every opportunity given us to serve you in the past, our cordial good wishes for the year to come and our hope that this Christmas tide may be indeed a season of the greatest happiness for you and yours . . .

STEWART BROS. & CO.
THE ARCADE & UNION BLOCK, NEWARK, OHIO

TO OUR numerous patrons, Christmas Greetings. We wish you all a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

The Newark Bargain Shoe Store
27 S. Park Place, Newark, Ohio

FREE \$1 It's Kohn's Xmas Offer FREE \$1

One Bottle of Wine with each quart of

Pride of Kohn

Whiskey the best there is \$1.00 for \$1.00

IT'S KOHN'S

18 NORTH PARK PLACE Newark, Ohio.

For today and tomorrow.

Phones, Citizen's 1153—Bell 812-W. FREE FREE

All Hail To Old "St. Nick"

—AND TO GOOD, OLD—

Ben Brew Beer

The many excellent qualities of this fine old brew, coupled with its exquisite hop flavor, makes it extremely superior to all other beers. "IT'S THE BEER FOR CHRISTMAS CHEER." Better send in an order today. You'll be so thankful for reading this advertisement and following out its suggestion, that you will forever more be a partaker of Ben Brew Beer. They say: "SEEMING IS BELIEVING"—so is TASTING. Now act!

James N. Fitzsimmons
Auto Phone 1139—Bell Phone 301 K.
NEWARK, OHIO.

Bottled and Brewed in Ohio's Cleanest and Best Brewery.

Franklin Brewing Company
COLUMBUS, OHIO.

“May Only Thoughts Glad and Bright
Come to Your Heart This Christmas Night.”

After a very busy holiday
season we feel like sending
to every one

“Our Hearty Greetings
and Best Wishes
For Christmas Day”

Come in early if you come tonight,
We close at 8:30 sharp.

W. H. Mazey Company

MERRIE
CHRISTMAS
TO ALL

May This Be The Merriest
Christmas You've Ever Had

Yours Sincerely

THE HUB

THE WISH OF
Besanceney Bros.

IS A

Merry Christmas

To Their Many Friends and
Patrons.

The Season of
Good Cheer

This, the season of good cheer, is an opportunity to thank you for your kind favors and to wish you a Merry Christmas.

SCHIFF'S

VICTORIA THEATRE

MATI- NEE FRI. and SAT. 2:15.	OPENS X'MAS DAY Hall Players In Quincy Adams Sawyer NEXT MON. TUES. WED. "THE GIRL IN THE TAXI"	EVE- NINGS 8:15 10c, 20c, 30c
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MEXICO

HAS SUFFERED BY CONSTANT
WARFARE IN THE SHRINK-
AGE OF ITS MONEY.

American Navy Called Upon to Assist
Steamer Captain From Em-
barrassing Situation.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM)
On Board U. S. Ste. San Diego,
Mazatlan, Mex., Dec. 23, via Wireless
to San Diego, Dec. 21. In the hope of
raising forces to check Villa sentiment
on the west coast of Mexico, General
Jesus Carranza, brother of General
Venustiano, left Mazatlan today
aboard the Mexican gunboat Guirre-
ro for Salina Cruz. General Carranza's
departure followed upon a conference
here with General Huerta.

Loyalty on the Guerrero to the Car-
ranza party was considered so uncer-
tain that a military guard went along
to keep the crew from mutiny.

Interest in any further fighting
along the Pacific coast has died out,
and the soldiers are selling their
arms and ammunition. Troops sta-
tioned at Mazatlan have destroyed the
fortifications. Quiet prevails along
the entire coast and it is freely re-
ported that the Carranza chiefs are
preparing to leave the country.

One of the effects of the drawn out
warfare has been shrinkage in the
value of Mexican money until one peso
today in Mazatlan is worth only
0.17 cents American.

The assistance of the American
navy was required to extricate Cap-
tain Stewart of the Pacific mail liner
San Juan from an embarrassing situa-
tion in Salina Cruz today. A Mexican
general detained the vessel when she
put in at that port, demanding trans-
portation for his troops and horses.
When the San Juan had been delayed
an hour, however, the cruiser Raleigh
was seen approaching, and the general
hastily withdrew his request.

M. J. REESE

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The Orient, Hartford, Conn.
Phone 1407, Office 1002 Trust Bldg.
12-23-24-26-27

RUSSIAN STATESMAN
DEPLORED WAR, BUT
NOW SUPPORTS IT.

(Associated Press Telegram)
Rome, Dec. 23.—(Delayed
in transmission.)—Reports
having been circulated here
that Count Sergius Witte, the
Russian statesman, was lead-
ing a pacific party at the Rus-
sian court, the count has tele-
graphed to this city denying
the statements. In his tele-
gram he says:

"At the beginning I deplored
the war thinking it was not in-
evitable or indispensable, but
since the war is in progress
any discussion regarding it
would be futile.

"Now that the war has as-
sumed in Russia, a popular
character, it can only end with
a decisive victory for Russia."

COMMUNITY
TREE WILL
GLOW TONIGHT

Promptly at 7:30 o'clock tonight, the
strains of the old and beautiful hymn,
"Joy to the World," will open the ex-
ercises which mark the lighting of the
Community Christmas tree in the
court house park. At the conclusion
of the hymn, Mayor Biazee will throw
the switch which will set all the
lights aglow. The program as an-
nounced in Wednesday night's paper
will be carried out. It includes beside
the band music and the mayor's ad-
dress, several choruses by a choir of
joined voices, an address by Rev. L. P.
Franklin and a closing selection by
the band.

Note that the exercises begin at 7:30
o'clock. There will be no delay in op-
ening the program, so don't miss the
band music and the sight of the pre-
tious tree in being late.

The tree will be lighted every night
for the next week.

CHRISTMAS DAY MUSIC

AT TRINITY CHURCH
At the 10 o'clock service on
Christmas day, the full vested choir
will sing the following music:

Processional Hymn—Adagio. Fi-
delio.

Cantata—T. Deems—Smart.

Reverie—Edison.

Gloria—Tibi.

Gratia—Tibi.

Credo—Battison-Haynes.

Introit Hymn—"O Little Town of
Bethlehem."

Offertory Anthem—"Glory to God
in the Highest"—Matthew.

Synonym—Corda and Sanctus.

Sanctus—Benedictus—Gloria—Sanctus.

Gloria—In—Exultate—Battison-
Haynes.

Nunc—Dimittite.

Recessional Hymn—"It Came Up-
on the Midnight Clear."

S. T. McCabe, Columbus, bartender,
was fined \$50 and cost for disor-
dering the police order against free
lunch.

Store Closed All Day Christmas

Nearing the close of the year 1914 we wish to thank
you, and all the rest of our good friends, for the kindly
words of appreciation which has been extended on the
occasion of each and every store department in the past
—for the patronage which has made this the most suc-
cessful and enjoyable business year in our store history.
WE SINCERELY WISH YOU

A Merry Christmas

SATURDAY
Startling Values Will Be
Offered Throughout
The Store

THE STORE THAT
SERVES YOU BEST.

Meyer & Lindorf
NEWARK, OHIO.

EAST SIDE OF THE
SQUARE.

WHITE GIFT

SERVICE AT CENTRAL CHURCH
OF CHRIST WILL BE LONG
REMEMBERED.

Thirteen Young People on Wednes-
day Night Consecrated Them-
selves to the King.

The White Gift service given at
the Central Church of Christ was one
to be long remembered. The real
Christmas spirit prevailed through-
out the program.

The platform arch and choir loft
were draped in white, outlined with
green cedar. In the center of the
platform, just beneath the arch,
stood a large white cross, beautifully
draped in white. The cross came up
out of a mountain made of white
cotton. Green palms filled the back-
ground. Just above the cross, in
the recess behind the archway, the
star of Bethlehem shown, almost
phenomenal in its resemblance to a
natural star.

The church was in darkness when
people arrived, save for the light of
the star and candles. As the crowd
gathered familiar old Christmas
hymns were played by the orchestra,
which was concealed. As the orches-
tra finished playing "Holy Night," a
mixed quartet composed of Mrs. Reed
Harris, Miss Nell Harris, Mr. Ernest
Cochran and Dr. C. B. Keller, sang
the well-loved old hymn and this was
followed by the processional by the
orchestra. When the children were
all seated Miss Sells rendered on the
piano "Roper's Chimes." The ladies
in the choir were dressed in white
and the splendid numbers rendered
by them added greatly to the even-
ing.

The program throughout was most
impressive. The gifts of "substance"
were brought in abundance and will
be distributed to the needy. The
gifts of "service" were indeed in-
spiring. They consisted of pledges
of definite service to the church in
a definite way.

The climax of the evening came
when after a short address by Mr.
Ford, an invitation song was sung
and thirteen young people gave them-
selves as white gifts to the King.

Thanks are due Mr. Donald Kis-
sane for the violin solo he so artifice-
rally rendered. Much credit of the
success of the program is due Mr.
Alva Hayes and his orchestra who
assisted so cheerfully in the music.

The decorating committee of which
Mrs. Otto Raney was chairman, are
to be congratulated upon the appro-
priate decorations used. To the
genius of Dr. C. B. Keller is due the
effect of the "star," so constructed
as to appear quite natural.

The service was under the man-
agement of Miss Hughes, the assist-
ant.

Charles Conroy, Columbus, driver,
61 years old, died from the effects
of a fall on the ice.

OVER 200 BASKETS
ARE DELIVERED
TODAY BY ELKS

At 1 o'clock this afternoon fifteen
autos laden down with baskets of pro-
visions left the Jones room in West
Church street which has been used by
the Elks to assemble the various arti-
cles which they distributed this after-
noon to many worthy families in
need.

There were 225 baskets, none of
which was large enough to contain all
that was sent to each family. In ad-
dition to the provisions, cloaks, cloth-
ing, sweaters, caps, stockings and
mittens were furnished where it was
known there were children in the
family.

The Christmas cheer committee,
headed by Dr. Jud T. Lewis as chair-
man, with his fellow members Joseph
Schrier, William Manolis, Clem Cole,
John Braddock, W. H. Broome and
John Miller, have worked hard and
faithfully in order that many homes
might be gladdened for Christmas. In
this work they have had the hearty
co-operation of the members of the
Elk lodge and have received numerous
subscriptions of cash and merchan-
dise from generous hearted citizens
not members of the order. Much good
has been done and many a home has
uttered a prayer for those who were

responsible for their Christmas cheer.

Wednesday afternoon Charles Vo-
gelmeier, the well known brick manu-
facturer dropped into the Elk room
in Church street and inspected the
baskets that were being filled for dis-
tribution. As he was leaving he slip-
ped a ten dollar gold piece into the
hand of one of the committeemen.
Samuel Burrell of South Second street
also sent the committee five dollars.
These donations came unsolicited and
are all the more appreciated. Credit
was given the Bell Telephone com-
pany for a ten-dollar subscription
Wednesday. It should have been given
to the employees of the company.

This evening at 5:30 o'clock the
Elk Christmas tree will be taken over
the city. Kris Kringle will accom-
pany it. There will be treats of candy
for the youngsters. Watch for it.

Wallace Davidson, proprietor of
the North Third street tenorsial par-
lors, Thursday morning sent one
hundred pairs of children's woolen
stockings to the Elk club room for
distribution by the Christmas cheer
committee. The donation was very
acceptable and many a mother will
be made glad when she finds stock-
ings for her little ones in the Christ-
mas basket. Mr. Davidson's action
was highly commendable and his
generosity very much appreciated.

"The rich live by robbing the
poor," exclaimed the Parlor Social-
ist. "Where do the poor get all the
money they are robbed of?" mildly
inquired the Mere Man.

IMPERIAL COUPLE
WITH CHILDREN
VISIT HOSPITALS

(ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM)
Moscow, Dec. 24.—Emperor Nich-
olas and the empress, accompanied
by their children, yesterday visited a
number of hospitals in Moscow or-
ganized and maintained by public
associations. Notable among these
is the union of all Russian Zemst-
vos.

In the evening the emperor, who
is in Moscow on his way back to
Petrograd from the front in the
Caucasus, received in the Kremlin
palace Prince Lvoff, chief commis-
sioner of the union of all Russian
Zemstvos and the mayor of Moscow,
M. Tschelnokoff, who is also com-
mander-in-chief of the union of Rus-
sian cities.

The commanders gave an account
of activities of their respective
unions and the emperor expressed
himself as greatly satisfied with their
reports.

KAISER REACHES COLOGNE.
London, Dec. 24.—In a dispatch
from Cologne the correspondent of
the Central News says, that Emperor
William with his entire staff reached
Cologne today from Berlin on his
way to the western battle front.

SATURDAY-----The Big Overcoat
And Mackinaw Coat Sale Day

A Golden Opportunity to Buy Any
Overcoat, Cravanette Or Mackinaw
Coat for Man Or Boy at ONE-FOURTH
OFF REGULAR PRICE.

Every garment in our big store in-
cluded in this big sale.

Come In—Look—Try On.
See the real bargains we offer.

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